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TMDL IMPLEMENTATION WORKSHOP



MARCH 5, 2007

You are cordially invited
to attend the Shenandoah Valley's second
TMDL Implementation Workshop

James Madison University
Festival Conference Center
Harrisonburg, Virginia
8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Sponsored by Virginia DEQ and DCR

WELCOME

The Virginia Departments of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and Conservation and Recreation (DCR) invite you to attend the 2007 Valley Region TMDL Implementation Workshop. At last year's event we focused on networking and communication. This year's workshop will provide you with applicable tools and assistance that may be easily utilized in your watershed to protect and improve water quality. Anyone interested or already involved in TMDL Implementation or water quality improvement is invited to attend this free workshop, this includes:

- Community groups
- Conservation District employees and board members
- Local and state government employees
- Interested Valley residents



SCHEDULE

After a short welcome by DEQ and DCR TMDL staff, representatives from the Valley's different watershed communities will be given the chance to make a brief presentation about where they are in the water quality improvement process, where they have come from, and the progress they have made. The majority of the day will be spent in "round-robin" sessions including a mini field trip, so dress for the weather! Session topics will include:

Urban best management practices: Learn more about the use of green roofs, bioretention filters, and urban forest buffers to treat stormwater.

Citizen monitoring: Find out about how DEQ uses citizen monitoring in TMDL Implementation, and discuss how watershed groups can design effective monitoring plans.

Comprehensive and watershed planning: Representatives from the National Park Service and DCR will share lessons learned from the integration of comprehensive, watershed and TMDL Implementation planning.

Funding opportunities for innovative ag BMPs: Learn more about creative funding opportunities for agricultural best management practices that are currently being explored by the Shenandoah RC&D.

JOIN US MARCH 5TH!

We hope that you can join us, and we encourage you to extend an invitation to your neighbors and colleagues. This workshop has been designed to serve as a forum where experiences can be shared, concerns discussed, and questions answered.

To RSVP, please email your registration information or detach and mail the registration panel of this brochure by February 21, 2007. If you have any questions or concerns, would like to make carpool arrangements, or for directions to the JMU Conference Center, feel free to contact Neshia Mizel (nesha.mizel@dcr.virginia.gov) or Tara Sieber (tsieber@deq.virginia.gov).

